

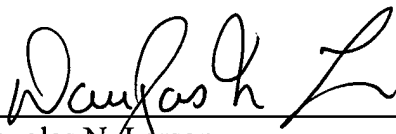
REMARKS

Prior to calculation of the filing fees, but without disclaimer or prejudice, claims 5-8, 15, 23, 26-27, 37-41, 43-46, 52-56, 62-65, 73, 76-78, 81-82, 85, 89-90, 94-96, 106, 108, 112 and 116-120 are cancelled.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 07-1853. Should such additional fees be associated with an extension of time, Applicants respectfully request that this paper be considered a petition therefor.

Respectfully submitted,

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